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IN RE APPLICATION OF

Art Unit: 1656

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Examiner: William W. Moore

APPLICATION NO: 10/763,619

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FOR: PRODUCTION OF PROTEINS BY AUTOPROTEOLYTIC
CLEAVAGE

Commissioner for Patents
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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Sir:

In response to the final office action mailed July 17, 2007, please amend the claims as indicated on the following claim listing. A petition to extend the time of response by three months, from October 17, 2007 to January 17, 2008, accompanies this amendment.

Amendments to the claims begin on page two of this response.

Remarks begin on page five of this response.